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ABSORBABLE SOLID COMPOSITIONS FOR TOPICAL TREATMENT OF ORAL

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three (3) months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated June 27, 2003 to December 27, 2003. A Petition for an Extension of Time of two (2) months along with a check in the amount of \$420.00 was filed on November 26, 2003, along with an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.

A check for the statutory fee of \$530.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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10/083,413 REQUEST Application Number **FOR** Confirmation Number 7369 ED EXAMINATION (RCE) Filing Date February 27, 2002 TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor Abraham J. DOMB MAIL STOP RCE Group Art Unit 1654 Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 **Examiner Name** Michele C. Flood Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Matter Number Q63391 Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, ABSORBABLE SOLID COMPOSITIONS provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995 FOR TOPICAL TREATMENT OF ORAL Title MUCOSAL DISORDERS This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 Previously submitted i. D Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ii. 🗆 iii. Other b. Enclosed i. 🗹 Amendment/Reply (Request for Reconsideration) ii. 🗖 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. 🗆 Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. 🗹 Petition for Extension of Time v. Other Request for Interview 2. MISCELLANEOUS Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months b. 🗖 Other 3. FEES A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby respectfully request a refund in the amount of \$1,135. This refund is to be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 for the below stated reasons:

This application was filed on February 27, 2002. The application transmittal indicates that the Applicants claim benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

However, Check No. 220480 in the amount of \$110, (copy of canceled check attached), was submitted with the April 17, 2003, filing of an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and one (1) month Petition for Extension of Time. Applicants hereby respectfully request that a refund of \$55, which is one half of the amount of the government filing fee be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

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Next, Check No. 235773 in the amount of \$420, (copy of canceled check attached), was submitted with the November 26, 2003, filing of an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and two (2) month Petition for Extension of Time. Applicants hereby respectfully request that a refund of \$210, which is one half of the amount of the government filing fee be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Moreover, Check Nos. 237437 in the amount of \$330 for a Notice of Appeal and 237453 in the amount of \$530, for the third month extension of time (the first two months previously paid to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office with the November 26, 2003 filing) (copy of canceled checks attached) were submitted with the December 23, 2003 filing. Applicants hereby respectfully request that a refund of \$165, which is one half of the amount of the government filing fee for a Notice of Appeal and \$265, which is one half of the amount of the government filing fee for the third month extension of time be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Finally, Check Nos. 241220 in the amount of \$770 and 243317 in the amount of \$110, (copy of canceled checks attached), were submitted with the March 23, 2004, filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c) and a one (1) month Petition for Extension of Time. Applicants hereby respectfully request that a refund of \$385, which is one half of the amount of the government filing fee for a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and \$55, which is one half of the amount of the government filing fee for a one (1) month extension of time be credited to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

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Copies of the cancelled checks showing the fully paid fees, copies of the transmittal

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Respectfully submitted,

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Re:

Application of Avraham J. DOMB and Joseph Simcha WOLNERMAN

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Assignee: EFRAT BIOPOLYMERS LTD.

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Dear Sir:

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Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising forty-five (45) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and the Preliminary Amendment. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

Applicant claims benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.27.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows (Small Entity fees apply):

TOTAL FEE \$538.00

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$538.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Benefit is claimed from:

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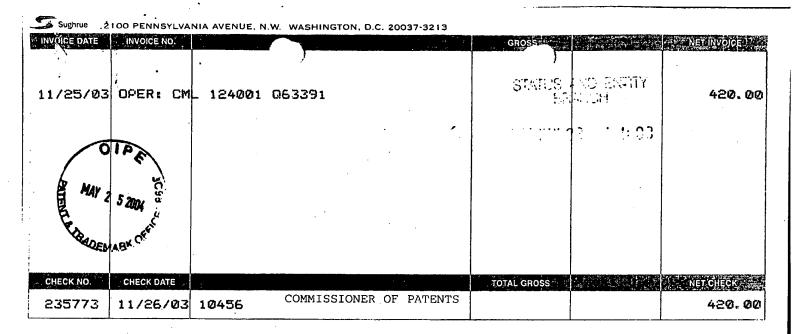
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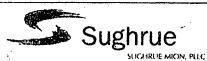
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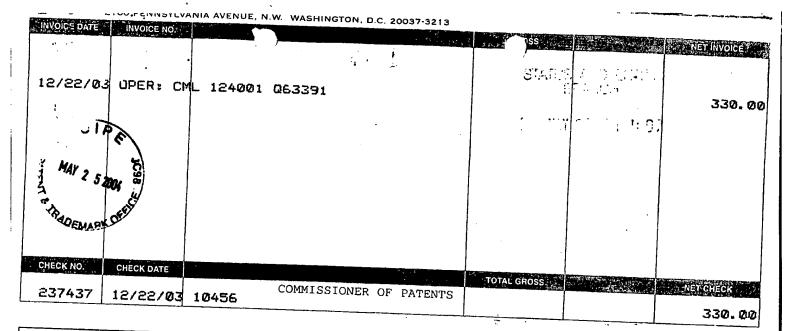
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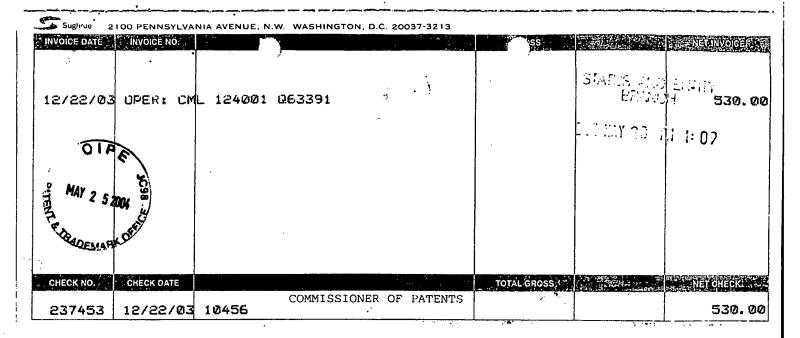
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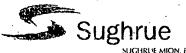
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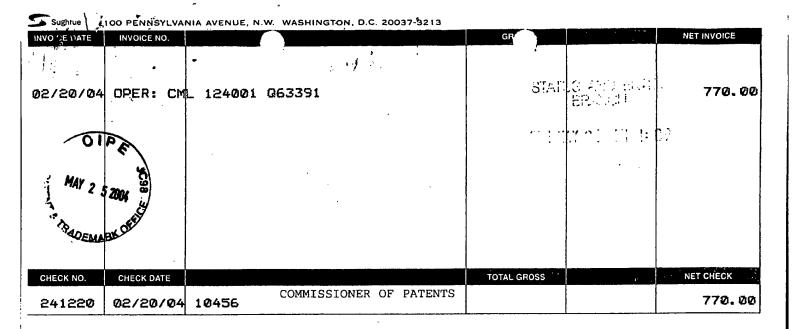
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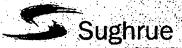
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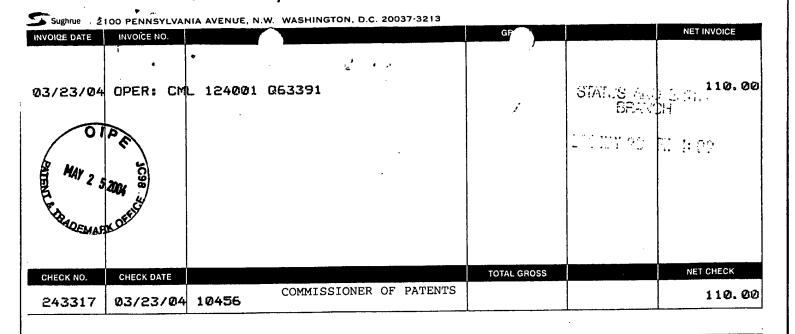
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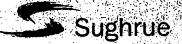
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